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Judge Cotton Continues Shakeup Of County Probation Committee

A shakeup in the San Mateo County Probation Committee continued Wednesday with the appointment of Mrs. Barbara W. Lundborg, 96 Laburnum Rd., Atherton, wife of Louis B. Lundborg, manager of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, to replace Mrs. Flora B. Steele of Pescadero, who has been a member of the committee since it was organized 16 years ago.

Failure of Juvenile Court Judge Aylett R. Cotton to reappoint Mrs. Steele, who did not resign, removes two of the three persons who voted against the ouster of Francis J. Robinson as probation officer from the committee.

Col. Charles N. Kirkbride of San Mateo resigned in December in protest to Robinson's ouster. Henry C. Hall, secretary of the committee, is the only member left on the committee who voted against Robinson's removal.

Judge Cotton said he failed to reappoint Mrs. Steele of his own volition.

The committee post held by Judge Edward I. McAuliffe of Redwood City, who recently resigned, remains unfilled. Judge Cotton said he had no one in mind for the job.

J. Ed McClellan, Burlingame attorney, last month was named to replace Kirkbride on the committee. Lowry S. Howard, president of the Menlo School and Junior College, this month replaced Leo J. Hyman, who died in December, for a short term and was reappointed Wednesday by Judge Cotton. The terms of Howard and Mrs. Lundborg expire Jan. 16, 1949.

Others on the seven-member committee are Edward Cosgriff chairman, and Mrs. Theresa Altieri. Mrs. Altieri is the only remaining member who was appointed on the original committee.

Mrs. Lundborg has a wide background for this type of work. She has been a board member of the Children's Protective Society for the past eight years and for the past two years she has been president of the society. Her first activity which gave Mrs. Lundborg, a former Stanford student, an interest in social welfare was as legislative chairman in the California League of Women Voters in 1936 and 1937.

In 1938 she became interested in the West Oakland Home, an institution for children, and served as president in 1939 and 1940. During that time she was chairman of a committee in the Oakland Community Chest which drew up standards for children's institutions in Oakland. These standards still are used as a model and as reference material in California and in other parts of the country.

Mrs. Lundborg has just finished a term as chairman of the Home Service Corps of the American Red Cross in Palo Alto, and is on the advisory committee of the YWCA at Stanford.

County Reaps $6000 From Property Auction

County Tax Collector Ralph MacArthur today announced that the sale of 84 parcels of tax delinquent property, auctioned at the courthouse Monday, brought in excess of $6000 to the county treasury. The parcels were located in the unincorporated area near Redwood City.

Twenty parcels were redeemed, the tax collector reported. There were approximately 75 bidders at the sale and he reported exceptional interest in the real estate. One North Palo Alto lot sold for $775. MacArthur said the prices realized were satisfactory.

Monday Deadline For License Plates

Capt. E. F. Cassell of the California Highway Patrol today warned San Mateo County residents that next Monday is the last day upon which applications for the 1945 black and white license plates may be filed without payment of a penalty.

Penalties equal to 100 per cent of the registration fee and 50 per cent of the vehicle license fee are due on late comers at midnight Monday. Applications sent by mail to the State Department of Motor Vehicles, Sacramento, showing postmarks earlier than midnight will be filled without penalties.

License plates may be secured in person at the Redwood City office —Marshall St. at Middlefield Rd.

Captain Cassell advised owners of vehicles with out-of-state licenses to confer with the CHP staff to determine if they must register here.

Open Survey To Determine Costs Here

The second half of a nationwide survey to determine the kinds of food, clothing and other things consumers are buying and what they pay for them started today in Redwood City and Menlo Park, William A. Bledsoe, regional director of the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor, reported.

If the results follow the trend of San Francisco, Oakland and other Bay Area cities, they will show that the average family here spends a little more than $19 a week for food for a family of four.

The survey will show how Americans have adjusted their spending in the face of shortages, price rises and lower quality of some goods and provide a checkup on the prices obtained at stores for the cost of living index.

Clothing purchases take a big chunk out of the family dollar, the bureau shows. During the first eight months of 1944, Bay Area families bought clothing costing, per person, about $85 for women, $68.75 for men, $43 for boys under 16, $43 for girls and $19.25 for babies.

Territo's Named In OPA Violation

A complaint for injunction, charging failure to comply with ceiling price regulations, was filed by the OPA against Joe R. Territo, owner of Territo's Meat Market and member of the Redwood City Ration Board, in U.S. District Court Tuesday.

The complaint lists two charges: overcharges on sale, delivery, furnishing and supplying beef, veal, lamb and mutton, and on poultry items. It was filed in the court by George A. Faraday, chief enforcement attorney for the San Francisco district, Office of Price Administration.

Officials at the Redwood City War Price and Rationing Board today said they knew nothing about the complaint which was filed in San Francisco, adding they "had never had that problem before."

Thirty other meat markets against whom similar complaints were filed included the following from Palo Alto: Liddicoat Market, and G. Liddicoat and W. J. Liddicoat; L. Larson, Mrs. S. Renner, Lawrence Baleri, and Lorenz Costello, as business occupants of the market.

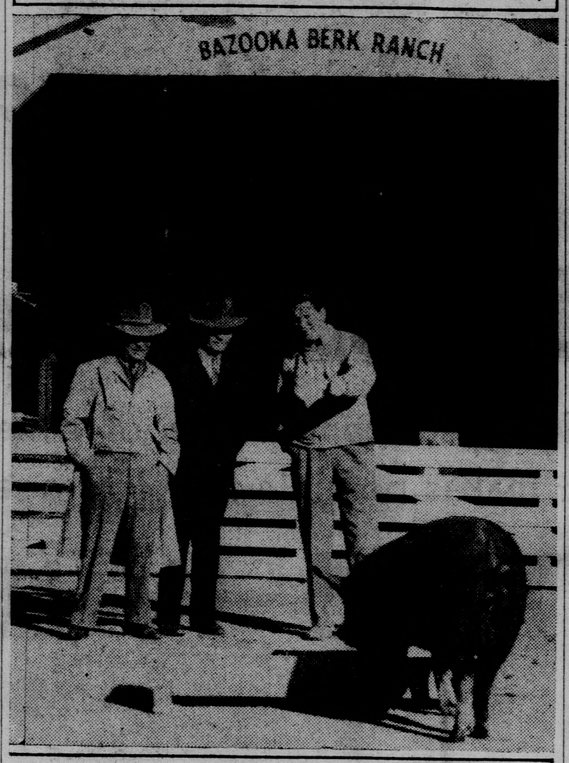
George Small Gunner With 397th Infantry

PFC George E. Small, who has been in the army since his graduation from Sequoia High School in 1943, is a mechine gunner in the 397th Infantry Regiment of the 100th (Century) Division on the Seventh Army front in France, his public relations officer announced today.

Small went overseas more than three mons ago, after having attended army training schools at Montana State College and the University of California at Los Angeles.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Small of 520 Warrington Ave. and the sister of Patricia Small.

Burns Gives a "Bazooka Berk" to Cal Poly



"Well, now, there's a real pig for you," said Bob Burns, well-known radio comedian, as he pointed out to J. I. Thompson (left), Bureau of Agricultural Education livestock specialist, and Lindsay Jewett, head of the Swine Husbandry department at California Polytechnic College in San Luis Obispo, the Berkshire gilt which he has donated at Cal Poly. Burns and several other members of the California Berkshire Breeders Association have donated eight Berkshire gilts and one boar to the state agricultural and industrial college which had heretofore confined its hog production educational work to the Poland-China and Duroc breeds.

Redwood City Dog Owners Capture Top Prizes in S.F. All-Breed Show

Redwood City residents carried off many trophies in the Obedience and Show rings at the 35th Annual All-Breed Dog Show held by the Golden Gate Kennel Club at San Francisco Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Robert L. Spencer Sr., 507 Santa Clara Ave., won a victory with her German shepherd dog, Erich of Klodum Von Abt. Out of a possible 100 points in the Obedience Trials, Mrs. Spencer's dog scored 95 points to complete his title as a (C.D.) Companion Dog. Another winner in the obedience trial was Miss Alice K. Herkenham of Hassler Health Home, Redwood City, with her Dobermann Pinscher Lady Beau.

In the regular classes, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lomax of Santa Clara Ave., scored an impressive win by taking the trophy for best of winners in bull terriers with their Tanark Headliner. Reserve winner in this event was Up Front of Nelloyd, the 6-month-old son of Tanark Glory of Patch of Nelloyd and Little Willows Paper Doll, both shown by Mr. and Mrs. Lomax, were winners in their classes.

B. B. Berman's schnauzer puppy, Drosel V. Hegoland was reserve winner in the puppy class. Berman's champion schnauzer, Chief of Staff, was entered in the Parade of Champions, a closing feature of the two-day show.

Carrying off highest honors in her class was Mrs. Spencer's German Shepherd female, Cinderella Von Klarbert, recently purchased by the Spencers from the famous "His Master's Eyes" blind dog training school at Minneapolis, Minn. She won the prize for best of opposite sex.

The children's handling class trophy was carried off by Bobby Poole, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Poole of Redwood City with the American-type Cocker Spaniel Myrop Top Sergeant, owned by the Pooles. Myroy Top Sergeant was also reserve winner in his class. Giralda's Salvia, a female Cocker Spaniel recently purchased by the Pooles in the East, won her class. Two other Poole dogs also received awards.

The trophy for third best hound in the show went to Miss G. J. Hooft of Woodside Rd. with her champion Whippet Frosty Morn of Meandor.

Other Redwood City residents with dogs in the show included Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Stoner, 845 Edgewood Rd. and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lyons, 264 Fourth Ave.

SEEK ADMINISTRATION

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Christen, 161 Barriolhet Ave., San Mateo, Tuesday filed a petition in superior court here for letters of administration of the estate of their son, Walter A. Christen, who drowned in the Indian Ocean July 2, 1944.

Two Teachers Hurt In E. Palo Alto Car-Truck Crash

Two school teachers — a father and his daughter — who reside in E. Palo Alto, were injured Tuesday morning in a rear-end collision of two automobiles and a truck on Bayshore Hwy. one-fourth of a mile north of the Belle Haven underpass.

Elmer H. Young, 50, 233 O'Connor St., East Palo Alto, orchestra and choral director at Burlingame High School, driver of one of the cars, suffered a broken kneecap and a broken nose. His daughter, Patricia, 24, a teacher at the Lawrence Elementary School, San Mateo, suffered a broken left arm. Both were taken to Palo Alto Hospital for treatment.

The California Highway Patrol reported that a car driven by Charles Otter, 18, 1935 Cooley Ave., East Palo Alto, ran into a truck driven by Walter L. Whitson, 32, of Berkeley. Young's car then struck the car driven by Otter. The accident occurred at 7:40 a.m.

Two persons escaped with minor injuries at 7:20 p.m. Monday when the car in which they were riding plunged down a 125-foot embankment on Sneath Ln. about a mile east of Coast Hwy. Injured were Thelma M. Lundin, 26, 336 Acacia Ave., San Bruno, employe of Pan-American Airways, who was driver of the car, the CHP reported, and PFC William J. Gillespie, 26, Fort Scott, passenger in the car.

The site was near the scene of an accident last Tuesday in which a truck driven by Roland B. Gurnden of Redwood City, plunged down a 600-foot embankment. Gurnden died Saturday night for injuries suffered in the crash.

Arrest S.M. Man On Assault Charge

Harold K. Foulk, 33-year-old plasterer who lives at 844 Prospect Row, San Mateo, was in the county jail here this week charged with assault with intent to commit rape after he assertedly forced a 22-year-old South San Francisco woman into his automobile at San Mateo and then chased her over hills west of Belmont after she escaped from his car, late Monday night.

Mrs. Margaret Jones, 215 Lux Ave., South San Francisco, told San Mateo County officers that a man she identified as Foulk forced her into his car in front of a bar in San Mateo and drove her out Ralson Ave. to a mile and a half west of Belmont, where she claims he attempted to rape her.

Officers today were seeking an unidentified sailor who was in the car with Foulk. He made no attempt to molest Mrs. Jones, whose husband is in the navy, she said, but he likewise made no attempt to protect her.

Mrs. Jones said she escaped from the car three times in back of Belmont and the third time she ran down a hill with Foulk in pursuit and hid in a ditch. After she heard Foulk's car drive away, she sought aid from a couple who was parked nearby. The couple drove her to Belmont, where she reported the episode to Policeman Stanley Botto. Botto notified the sheriff's office.

An envelope which Mrs. Jones grabbed from Fouik's car with Foulk's name on it led to his arrest at his home. Mrs. Jones identified him.

Mrs. Jones had a sore jaw and finger marks on her throat today as evidence of the fracas. Foulk, who is married, had scratches on his face.

Menlo Park Aviator Aids Pacific Bombing

Lt. (jg) John E. Coleman of Menlo Park flew a Third Fleet carrier-based dive bomber, Helldiver, in recent attacks on the Philippines, it was reported today.

In one sortie, it was reported, Lieutenant Coleman and other fliers intercepted a convoy attempting to reinforce Jap ground forces and sunk six destroyers and four transports, costing the enemy 13 planes and almost 8000 lives.

E. D. Mervy Wins Army Promotion

Capt. E. D. Mervy, assistant chief clinician at Camp Roberts, was promoted from a first lieutenant recently after serving in the medical corps for the past 18 months. Captain Mervy is a former San Francisco dentist.

His wife and two daughters, Medora Vaux, who attends Sequoia High School, and Deean, who attends McKinley, live at 829 Edgewood Rd.

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THAT BIG BOOK MAY BE WORTH YOUR LIFE'S SAVINGS YET, HANK.
JOHNS MADE A TRIP AT ONCE TO STATEN ISLAND TO SEE THE NEAREST OUTCROP OF THE MAGIC MINERAL.
IT'S NO USE TO ME. I'LL SELL IT TO YOU CHEAP!
SEND OVER A WAGONLOAD TO MY WAREHOUSE!
AFTER WEEKS OF EXPERIMENT WITH BURLAP, HOT PITCH AND ASBESTOS FIBRE...
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THEN IT SURE OUGHT TO SELL LIKE A HOUSE AFIRE!
NEXT JOHNS DEVELOPED AN ASBESTOS CEMENT FOR INSULATING STEAM PIPES AND BOILERS.
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Redwood City Man Dies of Injuries In Truck Crash

Traffic toll in San Mateo County was heavy over last week-end with the tenth fatality of the year recorded and at least 14 persons injured.

Roland Berry Gurnden, 43-year-old truck driver who lived at the Ideal Auto Court, Redwood City, died Saturday night at Mills Memorial Hospital in San Mateo from injuries suffered last Tuesday when his truck plunged down a 600-foot embankment. The accident occurred on Sneath Ln. extension one mile east of the Coast Rd.

Gurnden, who was employed by a San Jose contractor, was the husband of Marie Gurnden of Redwood City.

Three Redwood City residents were seriously injured Saturday night when two automobiles collided headon on Bayshore Hwy. at Tilton Ave., San Mateo. They were Clifford Friegang, 29, 1197 Hudson St., his wife, Marcella, and sister-in-law, Miss Dorothy Romo. William W. Klute, 30, 610 Virginia Ave., San Mateo, driver of the second car, also was hurt. All were treated at Mills Memorial Hospital.

Friegang suffered a possible lung puncture, shoulder fracture, fracture of the left leg and numerous abrasions. His wife suffered chest injuries, possible right leg fracture and facial lacerations. Miss Romo suffered throat laceration, concussion and a possible skull fracture.

Clifford Klein, 27, 251 Humboldt Ave., San Mateo, a merchant seaman, was being treated at Mills Hospital today for injuries suffered late Saturday night when he apparently was struck by a hit-runner at Belmont. He suffered a possible concussion and abrasions of the forehead.

Klein was found unconscious by shore patrolmen on the Old County Rd. near the Belmont Casino.

Six of the 14 persons injured were 'teen aged youths. They were injured, three critically, when the vehicle driven by John Di Maggio, 17, 727 North Idaho St., San Mateo, failed to negotiate a turn on Roblar Rd., Hillsborough, and turned over three times.

Di Maggio suffered serious head injuries. Lido Rossi, 16, 521 Bayswater Ave., Burlingame, and Richard Alt, 17, 1015 Second Ave., San Mateo, passengers in the car, also were critically injured. Andrew Crag, 17, 133 North Fremont Ave., Henry Holderigger, 16, 126 North Eldorado St., and William Clevenger, 16, 337 21st Ave., all of San Mateo, suffered minor injuries.

Three persons were injured in two separate motorcycle accidents.

Lyle E. Bush, 22, and his wife, Ruth, San Francisco, suffered minor injuries when the motorcycle they were riding went out of control on the Coast Hwy. near Half Moon Bay Saturday night.

Carl Secord of Woodacre, Marin County, suffered a collarbone fracture, possible fracture of his right ankle and possible skull fracture when his motorcycle overturned at Point Montara.

California Highway Patrolmen were investigating an accident on Bayshore Hwy. near Brisbane which damaged the sodium light circuit when the car hit a light pole. The car was abandoned after the crash.

Cite Atherton Plan's Faults

Miss Pansy J. Abbott, San Mateo County superintendent of schools, today listed two major reasons why formation of an integrated Atherton elementary school district, as urged in a petition signed by 175 Atherton parents, could not be accomplished at the present time.

Miss Abbott pointed out there would not be sufficient time before the Feb. 10 deadline to complete formation of the district, and that there is now a bill before the legislature advocating the enlargement of districts — not making them smaller.

A study of the proposed district as well as a study of the surrounding districts would have to be made to determine the number and ages of the children, verification of the names on the petition and a study of other problems would have to be made and the findings sent to the state superintendent, Miss Abbott said. The state superintendent then would send a man down to make a study, and he would report his findings.

Notices would have to be posted, if the change was approved, and the board of supervisors would have to hold a hearing.

Miss Abbott said she was taking no side on the question, but said such a petition should be presented not later than the first of November.

The move for an Atherton school district originated a year ago with a citizen group headed by Leslie I. Nichols. The petition was filed last week by Winston Churchill Black, Atherton attorney.

Miss Abbott notified Black there is not sufficient time to make the study necessary.

U.S.-Chinese Hospital

Located in San Francisco's Chinatown, the only Chinese hospital in the United States is mobilized as Chinatown's official medical center in case of disaster.

Plan Hearing On School Site

"Purchase of a High School Site in South San Mateo County" will be the topic of a special public meeting called by the Board of Trustees of the Sequoia Union High School District to be held at the Menlo Park Central School, 1300 El Camino Real, Menlo Park, at 8 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 6, Supt. A. C. Argo announced today.

All interested residents are invited to the meeting and will be given an opportunity to present their views, Argo said. After two months of heated debate, this one large general meeting has been scheduled to arrive at some definite idea as to the trend of public thinking, he explained.

Although Atherton residents severely protested the Donohoe property, opposite Dibble General Hospital, as a possible site during the trustees' discussion on Jan. 19, prominent East Palo Alto, Ravenswood and Menlo Park home owners have expressed their approval of the site, Argo said. But a sufficiently large proportion of the population in that region has not been heard from.

At Tuesday's meeting, reports of the San Mateo County Planning Commission population and the Sequoia High School increased enrollment studies will be presented. Charles L. Merrill, chairman of the board of trustees, will preside. Preceding the site discussion, a film will be shown and musical selections heard.

Redwood City Set For USO Birthday

Open house for all service men and interested residents will be held at the local USO, Middlefield Rd. off Broadway, Sunday from 5 to 9 p.m. in conjunction with the national celebration of the fourth anniversary of the establishment of USO centers throughout the country, Chmn. T. N. Thompson announced today.

Mayor W. W. Hilton will cut the first piece of anniversary cake at 6 o'clock. A group of civic leaders and prominent citizens will attend the ceremony Thompson added. Mrs. Dorothy Cutting is in charge of the program.

Throughout the nation, USO centers will be celebrating Feb. 4 as their fourth year of providing a Home-Away-From-Home. Last year several thousand civilian visitors attended open house in California's 240 USOs. In addition to the state centers, there are 33 mobile units which take books, movies, games, candy and cigarettes to the men at outlying posts.

When the USO was founded only 341 clubs were planned in small communities next to large camps. Today there are approximately 3000 operating in this country alone. The local club was organized under Red Cross supervision in December, 1942 and was officially taken over by the national USO in June, 1943. Nearly 4800 men enjoyed the hospitality of the local center in December. More than 48,130 visited the Redwood City USO during 1944.

Peninsulans Climb Bandwagon Behind the Trolly Troubadour

Francis Van Wie, the marrying San Francisco carbarn Casanova, has Peninsula sympathizers willing to put up money for his defense against a dozen wives.

James B. Howell, mayor of Atherton, William Kyne, general manager of Bay Meadows Race Track, and George Lewis, society jeweler from Burlingame, are among a group of sympathizers who have retained a lawyer to defend Van Wie. J. W. (Jake) Erlich, well known San Francisco attorney who has handled numerous cases in San Mateo, is the lawyer selected by the well wishers. James Toner has been selected by Van Wie as his own attorney.

Van Wie arrived in San Francisco this week from Los Angeles, where he was taken into custody for adding to his collection of wives without bothering to get divorces.

There might have been Wife No. 13 had not the law stepped in and blighted a new romance in the life of the Trolley Line Lochinvar. Mrs. Callie Donna Pearl Pullen, 63, of Los Angeles, was added to the 5-foot, 2-inch lover's list of hopefuls during his short-lived trip to the Southland. She admitted she had been on dates with Van Wie, whom she met in a park, and said the Lothario had named her beneficiary in his newest will.

The 58-year-old Van Wie was met at San Jose by Toner and Erlich, by two of his wives, Myrtle and Josephine (1944 vintage), by a number of newspapermen and by neck stretchers who wanted to get a peek at the man who "has a way with the women." A mob of people "greeted" Van Wie when he reached San Francisco.

Romantic, pudgy Van Wie, who by his own account, has had 12 wives, pleaded innocent today to two bigamy complaints.

The shy, 58-year-old streetcar conductor seemed bewildered by the crowd in the courtroom.

"Is this the famous Van Wie case?" inquired Judge Leo Cunningham as the case was called. "Yes, your honor," Dist. Atty. Edmund Brown replied.

"Has he reached the end of the line?" the court pursued.

"I think the honeymoon is over, your honor," the prosecutor answered.

Police Insp. Jerry Desmond, who returned the 5-foot, 2-inch conductor from Los Angeles yesterday, said Van Wie admitted there had been 12 wives in his romantic past; that he attributed his marriages—and his troubles—to this: "I've just been looking for something I never was able to find—a real pal and companion. I just wanted a home and kept trying to find one."

Mary Josephine Van Wie, and Evelyn Van Wie, who declare they are wives No. 11 and No. 12, respectively, were in court today for the little streetcar man's' appearance, and then filed annulment proceedings. Myrtle Deering Van Wie, listing herself as wife No. 8, also looked in on the hearing.

Judge Cunningham reduced bail from $2500 to $1000 on the bigamy charges. "He seems like a kindly and sentimental soul," Judge Cunningham said of Van Wie after talking with him at conclusion of the hearing.

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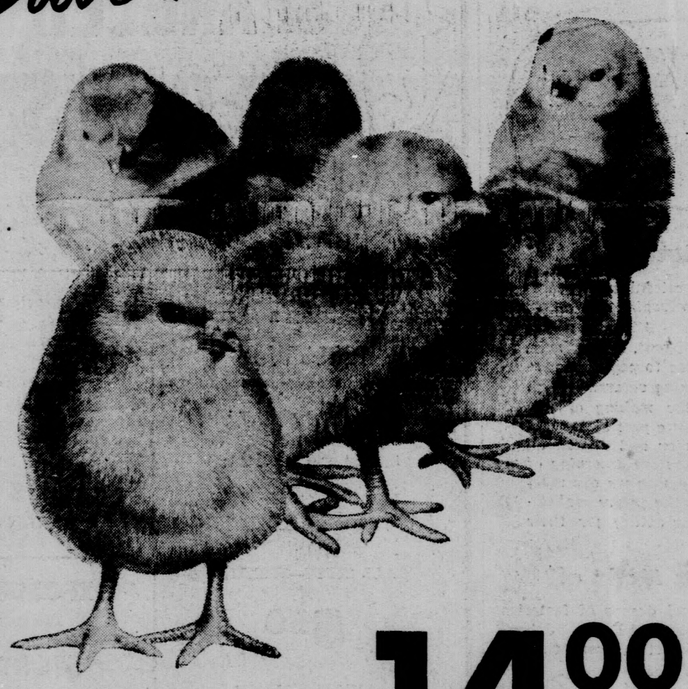

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KARO SYRUP Blue Label 5-lb. Jar 40c

QUAKER STATE MUSHROOMS Pieces and Stems.....4-oz. Can 34c | PEANUT BUTTER LANE'S 1-lb. Jar..... 27c

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R.C. Boy Scout News

Scout units in the southern district of the San Mateo County Council have been working on various projects which relate to the activities of Boy Scout Anniversary Observance Feb. 8 to 22. These will include store window displays, demonstrations, parent night activities and other events.

For the district the activities of the anniversary will be preceded by a cubmasters roundtable to be held here Jan. 30. Sunday, Feb. 4, all scout, cub and sea scout units in the district have been invited to take part in special services at the First Baptist Church.

Feb. 19 at Menlo Park the communities of East Palo Alto, Menlo Park and Atherton will hold a scout rally presenting various aspects of the program. A similar event will take place in Redwood City on Feb. 16.

The anniversary observance this year has as its theme "Scouts of the World — Brothers Together" and marks the thirty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America. The observance is nation-wide and is featured in the press and over the air. Special events including a nation-wide broadcast will be relayed to men overseas.

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MT. CARMEL CHURCH TO SPONSOR CUB PACK

The first organization meeting in the interest of a new Cub Pack, to be sponsored by the Holy Name Society of the Mt. Carmel Catholic Church of Redwood City was held Jan. 23 at the church with Wayne Burke, cub commissioner, as chairman. The Rev. John Cavenaugh welcomed the large group of parents present and gave the invocation.

Chet Wilson, assistant scout executive, outlined the parents' responsibility and relationship to the activities of the pack. Burke discused the advancement program of cubbing and Ray Cereghino discussed the operation of the pack thrift plan.

The forty parents present discussed the details of the organization in a round-table session. Jan. 29 was set as the time for the actual organization of the unit.

It is the plan to have five dens of seven boys each under the direction of a Den Mother. Six committeemen and a cubmaster have been selected and present indications are that some 35 boys will be served by the unit.

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Troop 104—L. W. Allen, scoutmaster, was in charge of the last meeting of the troop with 25 members present. Study of the compass requirements for second class scouts featured the session. Several of the scouts completed other scoutcraft requirements.

Troop 143—Report on the troop's participation in the recent paper drive was made by Hamilton Day, scoutmaster, and special scoutcraft projects and knot tying games were the order of business for the 23 members present.

Troop 154—Marvin Murphy and Charles Olson advanced to second class scout rank and Van MacCabe completed his first class scout requirements at the last regular meeting of the troop under the direction of S. Barber, scoutmaster. Total attendance for the evening was 25 scouts and work was done on first and second class requirements. Van MacCabe was named to head a new patrol being formed.

Troop 149—K. J. Wenzel, scoutmaster, announced that Tommy Counihan completed his tenderfoot requirements at the last meeting. Feature of the meeting was a soccer game between the patrols. Fourteen were present at the meeeting.

Troop 153—Pat Murphy completed his requirements of second class scout at the last meeting of the troop. Forty-seven were in attendence including three of the troop committee. They held a short meeting with H. E. Purcell, scoutmaster, and John Wrentmore assistant scoutmaster, to formulate plans for further activities. Special feature of the meeting was the fine handicraft exhibits on display.

Ship 145—With the report that the recent inspection given the ship was rated as very good, the skipper, Warner Britschgi, presented a former leader of the unit, Chief Motor Machinist Mate Richard North, on leave from the navy training base at San Diego, who gave an interesting talk on damage control on board a navy ship. Chief North has seen service in both Atlantic and Pacific waters and his talk was very interesting to the 21 crew members present.

Troop 105—Fourteen scouts were present at the last meeting of the troop to practice for the scout rally to be held soon. T. J. Seitz, scoutmaster was in charge. A program of games concluded the meeting.

The fountain pen was invented in 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Norman S. Menifee, Atty.
CITATION—No. 37552

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Adoption of FRANCINE EVALINA STEVENS, a minor.

The People of State of California:

To Herbert Stevens, greeting:

By order of this court, you are hereby cited and required to appear before this Court, at the Court Room, Department No. 2 thereof, at Redwood City in the County of San Mateo, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1945, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why the petition in the above entitled matter should not be granted.

Witness, the Hon. A. R. Cotton, Judge of our Superior Court, in and for the County of San Mateo, with the Seal of said Court, affixed, this 24th day of January, 1945.

Attest:
W. H. Augustus, Clerk; by Alma Paganini, Deputy Clerk.
(SEAL)

Jan. 26; Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23; Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 1945.

61 Missions —and Now it's Off Again

After a brief visit in Woodside at the home of his wife, the former Ellen Jurian, 1st Lt. Stanley J. Wiechert, veteran of 61 combat missions in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, has reported to Santa Monica for reassignment.

Wiechert, B-25 pilot, was stationed in Corsica for several months after being stationed in North Africa. He went overseas nine months ago.

He was a member of the 321st Bombardment Group which was the first medium altitude group to bomb Toulon. His 12th Air Force group

AAF Foto

battered a battleship, cruiser and a submarine in the Aug. 18 raid.

On July 28, he was hit by flak while on a raid over Northern Italy and was subsequently awarded the Purple Heart.

In spite of his wounds, he brought his plane safely back to his base. His co-pilot had also been wounded by the flak, he said.

Upon his return to the states, the army supplied "all the steaks we could eat," adding that fresh milk also looked mighty good to the returning veterans.

"The cigaret shortage floored me for a while," he stated and went on to explain that the army furnished one pack a day to the soldiers on Corsica.

His bombardier, the only member of the crew to be badly wounded during their combat missions, was sent to the states to recuperate last year, only to meet death in an automobile accident, Wiechert said.

Wiechert wears the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, the Purple Heart and a Presidential Unit Citation Ribbon.

The veteran Mitchell unit to which Wiechert was assigned holds the air force record for bombing accuracy, and is now bombing German supply and troop concentrations in close support of the Allied ground armies in Northern Italy. In more than 22 months' overseas, the group has supported six amphibious operations.

Wiechert is a graduate of the Burlington High School in Wisconsin. He enlisted in the air force June 2, 1942, and after receiving training in California, was commissioned at Yuma, Ariz., Oct. 1, 1943.

Bare Huge County War Contracts

San Mateo County's share of major defense-and-war contracts and projects from June 1, 1940, to Oct. 1, 1944, amounted to $190,859,000, the War Production Board reported today.

California's share was $18,664,978,000. The national total was $205,000,000,000.

Of the California total, the Associated Press reported, $16,399,575,000 was for supply contracts and $2,265,403,000 for facilities. Of the supply contracts, $9,987,894,000 was for aircraft, $4,416,217,000 for ships, $454,642,000 for ordnance and $1,540,822,000 for all other.

The facility projects were divided between $994,433 for industrial and $1,270,970,000 for military. The board explained that the figures are net, reflecting all decreases due to contract cancellations and other deductions. They do not include contracts of less than $50,000 or contracts for foodstuffs and food processing.

Joe R. Ferriera Wounded in Belgium

T/5 Joe R. Ferriera, son of Mrs. Mary M. Ferriera of 271 Beresford St., was slightly wounded in action in Belgium Jan. 7, the War Department has informed his family.

Ferriera, serving with the infantry, is the brother of Manuel, John and Frank Ferriera, all serving in the army.

Courses in more than 30 foreign languages are now given U. S. service men.

Home Institute Course To Aid Planning

Interest in the Home Planning Institute which will feature 20 lectures on home planning and construction indicates that nearly 200 persons will enroll in the course which begins Feb. 7 at Sequoia High Shool, S. S. Mayo said today.

The institute, to be conducted free of charge each Wednesday night for 10 weeks, is being sponsored under the Sequoia adult education program, and enrollment is open to anyone interested.

R. G. HOLABIRD

Lectures, followed by discussion periods, will be inaugurated by Prof. George Dowrie of Stanford University who will speak on "Why Plan Now?" at the initial meeting of the institute on Feb. 7 at 7:30 p.m.

Fred Langhorst, architect, will present an illustrated lecture on "Contemporary Homes" at the first institute.

On Feb. 14, Raymond Smith, San Francisco realtor, will talk on "Site Selection," and a local man will discuss building laws.

John S. Bolles, San Franicsco architect, will address the institute on "Functional Planning" at the Feb. 21 meeting, and Maurice Sands, interior decorator, will tell the gathering "Home Furnishings and Color Harmony Make a House Your Home."

For Feb. 28, Frank T. Ross, designer of color schemes will speak on "Color in the Home" and Leslie I. Nichols, Palo Alto architect, will discuss "Planned Storage Space."

"Heating and Air Conditioning" is the topic chosen by J. A. Hill, domestic utilization engineer for the Pacific Gas & Electric Co. for the Mar. 7 institute. W. A. Deal will discuss "Home Insulation" on the same program.

"Plumbing," an address by C. J. Nichols of Crane Co., and "Adequate Wiring," topic for R. G. Holabird, district manager of the National Electric Products, Corp., will share honors for the Mar. 14 institute.

"The Kitchen" and "The Laundry" will be discussed by Mrs. Elizabeth Madigan, field representative of the General Electric Consumers Institute on Mar. 21.

Carl E. Ward is chairman of the local committee completing arrangements for the institute, and E. W. (Ned) Butler is secretary. Other committeemen are L. G. Jones, Fred Schmitz, and S. S. Mayo.

J. A. HILL

Sentence Worker For Mayhem

Upon recommendation of Probation Officer John S. Cowgill, Superior Court Judge Maxwell McNutt Monday denied probation to Clarence Meredith, who on Jan. 6 pleaded guilty to mayhem, and sentenced him to San Quentin Prison for a term prescribed by law.

Meredith, a defense worker, was charged with striking Peter Poncia, 2122 Palo Verde, East Palo Alto, bartender at the Waldorf Cafe, San Mateo, on Christmas Day, breaking his glasses and causing him to lose his left eye. He was given a five-day stay of execution today.

Sentence for mayhem is not to exceed 14 years in prison.

Report Slight Damage In R. C. House Fire

A fire in the home of Fred A. Krieg, 416 Hudson St., at 4:52 p.m. Tuesday was confined to a clothes closet and bedroom by the Redwood City Fire Department. Clothes in the closet were destroyed and the bedroom was smoked up. Origin of the fire is unknown. Damage was estimated by firemen to be between $100 and $200.

Charles Noble Missing in Action

Yoeman 2/c Charles Lawrence Noble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Noble of 327 Park St., Redwood City, is missing in action, according to a casualty list made public by the Navy Department this week.

Listed as wounded in action on the list is Signalman 1/c Donald DeWitt, son of Mrs. Blanche DeWitt, 1048 Jefferson Ave., Redwood City.

Fat Is Weapon of War

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Hospital Aide Dies in Fire In San Mateo

Earl Friel, 44-year old pantryman at San Mateo Community Hospital, died Monday morning from burns received Sunday night when fire swept through his basement room in the employe's dormitory on the hospital grounds.

Friel's burning body was dragged from the smoke-filled building by Fireman Eloi J. Chanteloup who had crawled on his hands and knees through the lower hallway, seeking contact with fellow firemen, who had battled the room fire through an outside window.

Groans from the fatally burned man led Chanteloup to the open door of the room where he felt the body of the clothed man lying on the floor just inside the door.

Clutching the victim by his belt, Chanteloup crawled back through the hallway, dragging Friel along the floor and at the same time patting out the flames which were still enveloping the man's body.

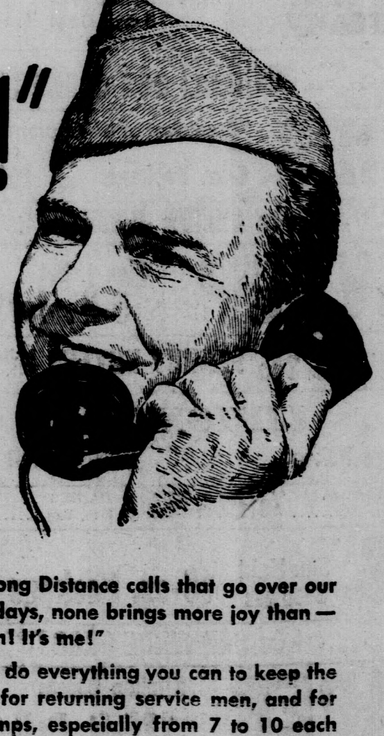
Firemen, who in the meantime had heard Chanteloup's call that he had found a man in the room came through the smoke and heat-filled basement hallway to help rush Friel out of doors.

Nurse Jean Daugherty met the rescuers at the west entrance to the basement quarters and with her bare hands helped the firemen in patting out the remaining flames which continued to blaze in Friel's clothing.

P. A. Man Jailed On Drunk Charge

Charles Leslie Yates, 57-year-old Palo Alto lineman, was booked on a charge of drunken driving by Redwood City police Monday night at 11:30 o'clock following his arrest on Main St. near Chestnut St.

"Hello, Mom! It's Me!"



Of all the Long Distance calls that go over our lines these days, none brings more joy than — "Hello, Mom! It's me!"

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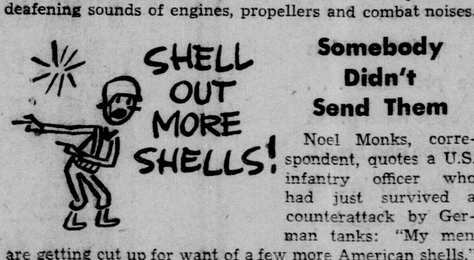

When They Come Back to J-M

In a recent statement on J-M's grateful appreciation of the patriotic service performed by returning war veterans, Lewis H. Brown, president, said:

"Nothing short of our most diligent, sympathetic, and sincere efforts can come close to paying a portion of the debt we owe to returning veterans. High sounding words of praise and the making of fine promises that can't be kept are not a part of the real job we have before us. These men and women do not want empty promises and they are deserving of much better than this. The only way we can meet our obligation to them is to face the future realistically and plan to the best of our ability for their long-term future and stability."

What Are Superforts Made of?

Of course thousands of people and dozens of factories have a proud finger in the production of B-29's. Johns-Manville gets a little glow of satisfaction every time it reads of the achievements of these big babies, for when it comes to B-29's, J-M contributes gaskets and packings for the engines, oil and grease seals for the variable pitch propellers, high temperature metallic mesh packing to prevent searing exhaust gases from escaping into the plane, and specially-treated asbestos fire barriers to confine and localize any fires which might break out during battle action. J-M also supplies materials for the insulating jacket on aerial cameras, and lightweight mineral fibre insulation to minimize heat losses at high altitudes and to help absorb deafening sounds of engines, propellers and combat noises.

Somebody Didn't Send Them

Noel Monks, correspondent, quotes a U.S. infantry officer who had just survived a counterattack by German tanks: "My men are getting cut up for want of a few more American shells."

Make It Two Tons, General

"We would rather fire a ton of munitions than lose a single American soldier"—Lieut. Gen. Brehon Somervell

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News of Commuters

BY LOCOMOTIVE BILL

All laugh honors this week go to Ding, Dong, Daddy of the D line, Francis Van Wie, the little fellow of 58 Summers who crashed the headlines in papers all over the country with his matrimonial escapades. There is one thing that can be said about Ding, Dong, he certainly has enthusiasm with plenty of vim, vigor, and women thrown in. Incidentally have you noticed how frisky some of these commuter Casanovas have become since Sad Eyes Van Wie, disclosed his Fountain of Youth.

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We have learned that a meeting is soon to be held in San Francisco to consider the critical transportation problem. Officials of the Southern Pacific Co., Municipal Railway and representatives of the Commuters Club are to be invited. At this meeting it is our understanding that commuters are going to be asked to do their part in alleviating the present unsatisfactory traffic situation.

Two things will be asked of them; first, the purchase of street car tokens and second, buying their commute tickets in advance of the usual time. On the first request we suggest that the Municipal Rwy. offer some inducement such as retduction in the street car fare upon the purchase of at least $1.00 worth of tokens.

For instance, 15 tokens might be sold for $1.00, not much of a saving but still sufficient to obtain the cooperation of a large number of people. On the second recommendation we are confident that many commuters will co-operate.

Checks will be acceptable by the Southern Pacific Co., if you don't have the cash, just as long as the address of the purchaser is shown on the check. We would suggest that these tickets be purchased at your home station several days before the end of the month. It goes without saying that considerable time will be saved in loading trains and street cars if these recommendations are followed.

To prove our good faith we should start doing this immediately. It may be wishful thinking but we do believe that the railway companies will in the near future do something about transportation (we hope).

Now that Mr. Ickes has turned down the plan submitted by San Francisco officials for disposing of Hetch Hetchy power with an estimated loss of $800,000 in annual revenue, we look for a new barrage of proposals to tax commuters, anything to help make up the loss.

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Special mention goes to all those fine ladies who volunteer to serve each month at USO. That the service men enjoy themselves is proved by the many thousands who passed through the doors during the past year. Redwood City can indeed be proud of the USO and those responsible for its administration and success. Saturday, Jan. 20, Commuters day, wives of commuters carried on as they do each month under the very capable leadership of Mrs. Ed. Horgan. Those who were either present or donated cakes were Mesdames L. Winkenwerder, E. Witt, R. Cloud, F. Hull, W. Kielty, W. Welch, R. Cereghino, J. Hahir, T. Cutting, G. Deleau, M. Levy, A. Musante, J. Nordstrand and W. Cruse.

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In handing out bouquets we must not overlook J. Bruce, the Redwood City plumber, who came to the rescue when the plumbing broke down at the USO on that evening.

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On the recommendations made by Ferris Miles in his annual report to the chamber of commerce, that all Commuters will approve, was the recommendation that a new hospital be built in Redwood City. If this city is to go ahead in the postwar era as we believe it will, a hospital is an absolute necessity. The present and future population can very well support such a project.

Train gossip: Commuters Club House Committee have plans under way to invite county officials to tell about their jobs at regular dinner meetings. . . . Five minutes to be allowed each man . . . politics are out the window . . . Commuters like Mayor Hilton's letter on the rat problem and we are confident every effort will be made to eradicate this nuisance. . . . Commuters and others raising chickens have a greater responsibility than have non chicken raisers as it is well known that rats are attracted to chicken houses and runways. . . . For those who don't know, the man responsible for making the city council rat conscious was Ray Spangler, Tribune editor. . . . Take a bow, Ray. . . . According to the papers San Francisco is now wrestling with the same problem. . . . Tommy Tompkins, prominent Veteran of Foreign Wars member and commuter, leaves soon with his family for Marshfield, Ore., where he has purchased an interest in a large insurance agency . . . the best of luck to you, Tom. . . . New Commuter Club members: William Dohrmann, Jack Marpole, George Scanderup, John Brophy and Al Storch. . . . During February the championship Commuters ball team is to eat another free meal at the expense of the losing Kiwanis Club. . . Chester Armstrong completely recovered from his recent illness. . . . Vincent Malone, another on the sick list, reports progress.

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Five years ago. . . . An open meeting of the interested commuters endeavoring to organize a club known as the Redwood City Commuters Club was called for Feb. 26, 1940, to be held in the Council chambers of the Redwood City Hall.

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Coming events: Directors' meeting Feb. 6. . . . Membership meeting Feb. 8.

Port Boost Approved

The future looked bright this week for the Port of Redwood with the announcement from Washington that new rivers and harbors legislation passed the Senate without any opposition.

This new bill, which is similar to one defeated by Congress last Fall, includes $483,000 allotment for improvement and additions to the port here, which would make the Redwood City waterway one of the most modern on the Pacific Coast.

Swift action came on a voice vote because the bill had been stripped of controversial provisions and projects that prevented passage of a similar measure last year. House action is expected soon.

No appropriation is made but the bill authorizes postwar navigation, irrigation and hydroelectric power works estimated to cost nearly $500,000,000.

Separate legislation is in the making to exclude the Central Valley, Calif., Irrigation Project from reclamation law restrictions. It was a provision covering this that finally killed last year's bill.

California rivers and harbors projects in the new bill included:

San Diego Harbor, $165,000; Newport Bay harbor, $514,000; Santa Barbara Harbor, no additional cost; Morro Bay, $976,000; Monterey Harbor, $74,000; Monterey Bay (Moss Landing) $350,000; Oakland Harbor, $175,000; Richmond Harbor, $25,000; San Pablo Bay and Mare Island strait, $7600; Noyo Harbor, Mendocino County, $600,000; Crescent City Harbor, $1,610,000.

Sailor Claims Attack by Negroes

P. H. Terwilliger, sailor stationed at Moffett Field, Tuesday told police officers that two Negroes who had given him a ride in their automobile while he was hitchhiking Monday night stole a 17-jewel watch and a wallet containing an undetermined amount of money from him.

Terwilliger reported to Palo Alto police Tuesday afternoon that the Negroes stopped on Bayshore Hwy. half a mile north of University Ave., East Palo Alto, and stuck a gun in his ribs, exclaiming, "This is a stickup."

Plan Peninsula Airport Meet

Representatives from Peninsula cities, chambers of commerce, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, San Mateo County, and the Civil Aeronautics Administration have been invited to discuss airport construction on the Peninsula at a luncheon meeting of the Peninsula sub-committee, Bay Area aviation committee of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. Laura Roeder, sub-committee chairman, announced today.

The meeting will be held in Belmont Monday.

Water cisterns built by the ancient Romans are used for modern apartment buildings in Philippeville, Algeria.

Emerald Lake Home Destroyed By Fire

An Emerald Lake cottage occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. Zahn and their two children was completely demolished by a fire which spread through the small frame building on Acacia Dr. Monday afternoon before any of the furnishings could be saved.

Men from the San Mateo County Forest Service, answering their second call of the day, kept streams of water on nearby houses to keep the flames from spreading when, upon their arrival, they found the Zahn home completely enveloped.

The Zahns, Fire Warden Bert L. Werder said, were at a neighbor's home when the fire broke out in the roof.

Emerald Lake residents — principally children just out of school—thronged to the scene, attracted by the flames and smoke which poured forth from the hillside home.

In addition to the home and furnishings, including a new washing machine and refrigerator, clothing and an undetermined amount of money were destroyed.

Werder estimated the loss at $2500.

Monday morning, county firemen responded to the home of G. A. Stryker on Hillside Rd., where an automobile and nearly all the personal belongings of Hubert Rossell, recently returned veteran of the Pacific battle fronts, were consumed in a garage fire.

Sunnyvale Man Fined On Exhibiting Gun Count

Justice of the Peace Edward I. McAuliffe has fined Roy H. Ring of Sunnyvale $250 and placed him on two years' probation for "exhibiting a gun in a rude and angry manner." The charge was reduced from assault with a deadly weapon.

Ring was charged with firing three shots at Joe Shelton, 2376 Poplar Ave., East Palo Alto, on Christmas Eve, following an argument over a woman. The first two shots went wild. With Ring standing over Shelton ,who was trying to crawl under a fence, the third shot misfired.

Myrtle Homer Wins Divorce Decree

Superior Court Judge A. R. Cotton Tuesday granted Mrs. Myrtle G. Homer, 291 Lewis Ave., Millbrae, an interlocutory decree of divorce from William C. Homer, and ordered Homer to pay her $200 monthly alimony and $100 a month for support of a son, Lloyd, whose custody she won.

Community property was divided. Homer was awarded the Express Cafe, San Francisco.

San Mateo Woman Believed Suicide

Mrs. Gertrude Robinson, 51, whose Green Parrot Inn was due to be closed Tuesday after 20 years of operation at 1520 El Camino Real in San Mateo, died Monday night presumably a suicide.

According to Coroner William F. Crosby, an autopsy performed at Mills Hospital, revealed that the odor of alcohol was found throughout the woman's system, and a partially empty bottle of rubbing alcohol was found at the scene, indicating death was deliberate.

Best Time to Feed Lawns is in the Early Spring

What does early feeding for lawns really mean? It means just as soon as you can get on the lawn when winter is breaking up, as soon as or just before the frost has started to come out of the ground.

The ground may be frozen and have a light covering of snow, it may have thawed once and then frozen again. Naturally the feeding can't be done when the ground is too soft or too wet, as during the first day or two of a thaw. Early feeding should be done **before** that condition exists. If the soil condition is right, don't worry about the calendar.

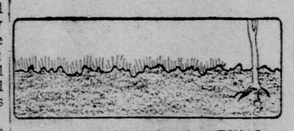
Early feeding gets the plant food right down to the roots in time to be ready for use at the first signs of spring growth. Alternate freezing and thawing produces a soil structural condition called "honey combing." The soil is much more porous when it is honey combed; consequently, snow and rain will find their way through the soil much easier and deeper when this condition is present.

Plant food applied during this period is placed right around the grass roots by the melting snow or spring rains. Plant food must be available to the roots themselves and early application gets it there easier than any other way at any other time. The grass has not started its top growth during the best period for early application; therefore, plant food applied early does not require watering . . . a saving of time and money.

This early root activity, before top growth starts, assures the grass a deeper root system to sustain it during the hot, dry periods of the summer. When feeding is done too late in the spring, much of the plant food is used up by luxuriant top growth instead of root growth. Another big advantage of early root growth is the mat it builds up against weeds. Most all weeds require the warmer temperatures of late May and June to start active growth, whereas lawn grass has been growing since late March or early April.

It is practically impossible for weeds to become established when early feeding is done regularly. If the feeding is done late, the weeds are benefited as much as the lawn.

Honeycombed Condition of Soil as Frost Leaves.



Cross Section Showing Pitted Surface.

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Kitchen Craft Flour	5-lb. Bag	29¢
Kitchen Craft Flour	10-lb. Bag	55¢
S&W Corn	Golden Cream Style (20 pts.) No. 2 Can	18¢
Del Monte Spinach	E. G. (20 pts.) 2½ Can	18¢
Pablum Cereal	18-oz. Package	39¢
Skinners Raisin Bran	10-oz. Package	11¢

SU-PURB Granulated SOAP 24-oz. Carton 21¢

SPERRY PANCAKE FLOUR and WAFFLE—28-oz. Cart. 19¢

Minced Chicken	Lynden—4-oz. Glass	32¢
Cudahy Deviled Meat	3¼-oz. Can	5¢
Apricots	Petite Halves Unp. (40 pts.)—2½ Can	23¢
New West Apple Juice	Quart Glass	23¢
Spudettes	Shoe String Potatoes—3-oz. Carton	10¢
Dog Food	Kendall Complete—27-oz. Bag	22¢

Saucy Recipes

TOMATO SAUCE

4 cups quartered peeled fresh tomatoes
½ cup thinly sliced celery
¼ cup coarsely grated onion
¾ tsp. salt
⅛ tsp. pepper
⅛ tsp. dry mustard
2 tsps. sugar
1 tbsp. vinegar
2 tsps. butter or margarine
¾ cup water
3 tbsps. cornstarch

Place tomatoes in 2-qt. saucepan. Add celery, onion, seasonings, sugar, vinegar, butter or margarine, and ¼ cup of the water. Cook slowly about 15 minutes, or until tomatoes are done, stirring occasionally. Combine cornstarch with remaining ½ cup water; add slowly to tomatoes, stirring constantly. Cook about 5 minutes, or until thickened, stirring frequently. Serve hot over meat, macaroni products, or fish. Makes 3 cups of sauce.

MEDIUM WHITE SAUCE

For creamed dishes—Melt 2 tbsps. butter or shortening in double boiler; blend in 2 tbsps. flour; add 1 cup scalded or cold milk gradually, stirring constantly. Continue to cook over boiling water 10 to 15 minutes longer; season with salt and pepper. Makes 1 cup.

VARIATIONS MEDIUM WHITE SAUCE

Cheese Sauce—For vegetables—Add ¾ cup grated American cheese; stir until cheese is melted.

Cream Sauce—Substitute light cream for milk.

Egg Sauce—Add 1 or 2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped.

Parsley Sauce—For boiled potatoes—Add 1 tbsp. finely chopped parsley.

Pimiento Sauce—For vegetables—Add ½ cup finely chopped or sieved pimiento.

Rich Yellow Sauce—For vegetables—Blend in 1 or 2 well beaten egg yolks just before removing from heat.

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JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Director

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Beans	Small White or Red Mexican Beans—3-lb. Cello	27¢
Green Beans	Gardenside Cut (10 pts.) No. 2 Can	2 for 25¢
Highway Peas	(20 pts.)—No. 2 Can	2 for 25¢
Sugar Belle Peas	Swt. (20 pts.)—No. 2 Can	14¢
Ovaltine	Plain or Chocolate—Large Glass	65¢
Corn Flakes	Kellogg—11-oz. Package	8¢
Muffin Mix	Dromedary Corn—11½-oz. Package	13¢
Flour	Pancake & Waffle Flour—Phillips—40-oz. Pkg.	22¢
Riviera Chix Raviolis	16-oz. Glass	14¢

American Beauty PASTE Macaroni, Spaghetti, Salad Long Cut, or Elbow—32-oz. Cello 25¢

Let's Keep
The Offensive Rolling,
Buy An Extra Bond Today

Rancho Soup	Tomato & Vegetable—22-oz. Can	10¢
Rancho Tomato Juice	(20 pts.)—No. 2 Can	8¢
M.J.B. Tea	Orange Pekoe—½-lb. Package	49¢
Howdy Peanut Butter	1-lb. Glass	25¢
Almonds	Diamond Shelled—8-oz. Cello	57¢
Walnuts	S & W Large—1-lb. Package	42¢
Sani-Flush Cleaner	—22-oz. Can	15¢
Mary Ellen Plum Jam	1-lb. Glass	23¢
Mustard	Gulden's Prepared—8½-oz. Glass	10¢

MISCELLANEOUS NEEDS

CHILI SAUCE	C.H.B. (30 pts.)—12-oz. Glass	19¢
HAMBURGER RELISH	Nalley's—12-oz. Glass.	18¢
ANCHOVY PASTE	Vita or Top Flight—2-oz. Gl.	18¢
PEACHES	Y. C. Sl. or ½s—Del Monte (60) No. 2½	25¢
AUNT DINAH MOLASSES	16-oz. Glass	13¢
EHMANNS OLIVE OIL	4½-oz. Glass	39¢
CHEERIOATS CEREAL	7-oz. Carton	11¢
WHEATIES	Breakfast of Champions—8-oz. Carton	11¢
VANO CLEANER	Quart Glass	29¢
ORANGE LAYER CAKE	Each	33¢

FRESH PRODUCE

Safeway fruits and vegetables are rushed from farm to store—that's why we can guarantee their flavor and freshness.

Pears	Fancy D'Anjou—Lb.	15¢
Grapefruit	Fancy Arizona—Lb.	5¢
Cabbage	Fancy Cannonball	2 lbs. 12¢
Apples	Fancy Northwest Winesap	2 lbs. 23¢
Spinach	12-oz. Cello Package	20¢

PENNY SAVERS

SWEET TOMATO RELISH	Libby's—18-oz. Gl.	19¢
SOUP MIX	Soup-er Mix Plain—3½-oz. Package	4 for 29¢
CHEESE FOOD	Breeze (6 pts.)—½-lb. Pkg.	20¢
PEANUT BUTTER	Skippy—1-lb. Glass	31¢
BEEVILLE HONEY	1-lb. Glass	25¢
AIRWAY COFFEE	Whole Roast—1-lb. Package	20¢
FLOUR	Pan. & Waf.—Suzanna—20-oz. Carton	2 for 15¢
RAISIN SNAILS	Package	15¢
BREAD	Julia Lee Wright—White or Wheat—1-lb. Loaf	8¢
BREAD	Julia Lee Wright—White or Wheat—1½-lb. Loaf	12¢

Oxydol Soap	Sno-Cola	Bouillon Cubes	Krispy Crackers	Sierra Pine Soap	White Magic Bleach
Granulated—24-oz. Carton	Quart Bottle Plus Deposit	Steero—12 Cubes	Loose Wiles 1-lb. Carton	Toilet—Regular Bars	Quart Glass
23¢	2 for 15¢	22¢	19¢	2 for 13¢	10¢

Advertised prices including produce subject to stock on hand and price changes made necessary by market fluctuations or new regulations from OPA.

SARAH SWITCHES SUE!

I JUST CAN'T MAKE ENDS MEET, SARAH. MY FOOD BILLS ARE SO BIG
FOR ONE THING, SUE, YOU SHOULD SWITCH TO MY STORE.
WHO-OO-O! WHO-OO-O!
SWITCH! I WANT A SWITCH!
HUSH, JOHNNY!
...I DO ALL MY BUYING AT ONE STORE NOW, AND HAVE MONEY LEFT FOR OTHER THINGS. COME ALONG, I'LL SHOW YOU.
SEE, PRICES ARE PLAINLY MARKED ON THE SHELVES.
HOW SILLY I'VE BEEN! I'M SWITCHING TO SAFEWAY RIGHT NOW!

Prices in this Ad are effective Thursday through Saturday, February 1 - 2 - 3 inclusive, in San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley, Richmond, Hayward, and other cities and towns (except Menlo Park in San Mateo, Alameda, and Contra Costa Counties, unless changes are required as a result of new OPA regulations.

Low everyday shelf prices will help you save, too!

Safeway's consistently low prices every day of the week will save money for you month after month. Note how your savings mount up when you do *all* your buying at Safeway.

SAFEWAY

APPLE CIDER

MACOMBER'S—(POINT FREE)

Quart Bottle **23c** Gallon Jug **73c**

Grocery Prices effective a full week, February 1 thru February 7, 1945.

LESLIE PEAS

SWEET—TENDER SMALL (Blue Point Item)

2 No. 2 Tins **25c**

SWIFT'S PREM

LUNCHEON MEAT (Red Point Item)

12-Oz. Tin **29c**

TASTY MAYONNAISE

Contains The Finest Ingredients

PINT JAR **25c**

TAXABLE ITEMS SUBJECT TO REGULATION NO. 73

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

ROBISON'S BIRD SEED	Red Package	12-Oz. Pkg.		18¢
ROBISON'S BIRD SEED	Blue Package	12-Oz. Pkg.		13¢
CLAREMONT BIRD SEED		14-Oz. Pkg.		11¢
POWOW CLEANSER		9-Oz. Pkg.		9¢
BIG 3 COFFEE	Ffesh Ground	1-Lb. Pkg.	3-Lb. Pkg.	20¢ 59¢
SW COFFEE	Drip Or Regular	1-Lb. Jar	2-Lb. Jar	32¢ 61¢
SW APPLE JUICE		12-Oz. Tin	32-Oz. Tin	16¢ 37¢
BORDEN'S HEMO	VITAMIN DRINK		1-Lb. Jar	59¢
KING KELLY MARMALADE			1-Lb. Jar	17¢
ROLLED OATS	Quick or Regular		9-Lb. Cloth	53¢
ALBERS CORN MEAL	WHITE OR YELLOW		20-Oz. Pkg.	10¢

GLOBE A-1 BISCUIT FLOUR

For Better Biscuits

40-Oz. PKG. **27c**

LIPTON'S SOUP MIX

CHICKEN NOODLE New and Improved

3 PKGS. **25c**

PURE EGG NOODLES

FISCHER'S BRAND

2 CELLO PKGS. **27c**

OXYDOL

GRANULATED SOAP

LARGE PKG. **21c**

HY-PRO

Bleaching Water

Gallon Bottle **29¢**

NESTLE'S COCOA

½-Lb. Pkg. **18¢**

GRO-PUP

DOG FOOD

25-Oz. Pkg. **25¢**

BLUE POINT ITEMS

Libby's Tomato Juice

2 No. 2 Tins 19¢

47-Oz. Tin **21¢**

APPLE SAUCE	WEGNER	No. 303 Tin	12¢
SPINACH	HEART'S DELIGHT	No. 2½ Tin	16¢
F & P PEACHES	SLICED	No. 2½ Tin	22¢
F & P PEACHES	HALVES	No. 2½ Tin	22¢
ELBERTA PEACHES	F & P HALVES	No. 2½ Tin	23¢
VEGETABLE JUICE	V - 8	46-Oz. Tin	31¢
SW CATSUP	NOW ONLY 30 POINTS	14-Oz. Bottle	19¢
SUGAR CORN	CLOVERDALE CREAM STYLE — WHITE OR GOLDEN	No. 2 Tin	11¢
STOKELY CORN	WHOLE GRAIN—GOLDEN	No. 2 Tin	15¢
GREEN BEANS	SEA ROCK — CUT	No. 2 Tin	12¢
GREEN BEANS	JACK AND THE BEAN STALK — FANCY CUT	No. 2 Tin	17¢
YOSEMITE TOMATOES	STANDARD—WITH PUREE	No. 2½ Tin	13¢
ROGER'S PEAS	SUGAR	No. 2 Tin	14¢
STOKELY PEAS	HONEY POD	No. 2 Tin	15¢
MILTON PEAS	EXCELLENT FOR GARNISHING	No. 303 Tin	10¢

NIBLETS BRAND WHOLE KERNEL CORN 12-Oz. Tin **14¢**

STOKELY CORN

WHOLE KERNEL—GOLDEN—VACUUM PACKED—(Blue Point Item)

2 12-Oz. Tins **25c**

Libby's CHILI SAUCE

(Blue Point Item) 12-Oz. Jar **23¢**

MEAT SAUCE	DURKEE (Point Free)	10-Oz. Jar 27¢
TOMATO PASTE	FLOTTA BRAND (Point Free)	6-Oz. Tin 7¢

Clapp's Baby Foods

3 Strained Tins **20¢**

ALL VARIETY SOUPS 3 Tins **24¢**

FIG & RAISIN PUDDING 6½-Oz. Tin **8¢**

CLAPP'S DRY CEREAL

OATMEAL OR COMB. 8-Oz. Pkg. **14¢**

VEGERONI	All Var. Veg. Paste	1-Lb. Pkg. 21¢
CEL - MAC MACARONI	All Var. Pure Semolina	2-Lb. Pkg. 28¢
PHILLIP'S	Peanut Butter	1-Lb. Jar 23¢
		2-Lb. Jar 45c
Sweetheart	Toilet Soap	Bath Cake 11¢
Cashmere Bouquet		Cake 10¢ Or 3 Cakes 27¢

RY-KRISP	Delicious Cereal	12-Oz. Pkg. 24¢
RAISIN BRAN	Kellogg's Flakes	10-Oz. Pkg. 10¢
Nabisco Shreddies		2 Pkgs. 23¢
NABISCO 100% BRAN	Makes Fine Muffins	1-Lb. Pkg. 17¢
NABISCO SHREDDED WHEAT		2 Pkgs. 23¢
INSTANT RALSTON		18-Oz. Pkg. 20¢

DUZ Granulated Soap		Large Pkg. 23¢
NU BORA Granulated Soap		Giant Pkg. 45¢
SUPER SUDS		Large Pkg. 23¢
QUEEN LILY SOAP		Large Bar 11¢

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

10-Lb. Bag **58¢** 25-Lb. Bag **1.39** 50-Lb. Bag **2.74**

SPERRY DRIFTED SNOW FLOUR

10-Lb. Bag **57¢** 25-Lb. Bag **1.33** 50-Lb. Bag **2.65**

GLOBE A-1	PANCAKE FLOUR	40-Oz. Pkg.	22
SPERRY	PANCAKE FLOUR	4-Lb. Pkg. 33¢	No. 10 Pkg. 73¢
Graham Flour	FISHER'S	2-Lb. Pkg.	17¢
Whole Wheat Flour	FISHER'S	2-Lb. Pkg.	17¢
DUFF'S MUFFIN MIX	PREPARED FLOUR	14-Oz. Pkg.	22¢
GINGERBREAD MIX	DUFF'S—PREPARED FLOUR	14-Oz. Pkg.	22¢

RED ROSE ENRICHED FLOUR

10-Lb. Bag **49¢** 25-Lb. Bag **1.09** 50-Lb. Bag **2.01**

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

LETTUCE	IMPERIAL LARGE FIRM HEAD	lb.	5¢
APPLES	CALIFORNIA MOUNTAIN DELICIOUS	3 lbs.	27¢
LEMONS	GOOD SIZE VERY JUICY	2 lbs.	15¢
TOMATOES	IMPERIAL — LARGE SLICING	LB. 19¢	SMALL LB. 15¢
BROCCOLI	LARGE BUNCHES		PER BUNCH 20¢
GRAPEFRUIT	COACHELLA	SWEET AND JUICY	LB. 6½¢

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